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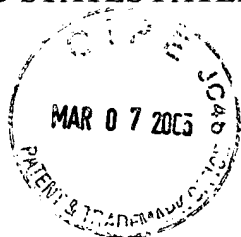
In re Application of

Brown, et al.

Serial No.: 10/075,074

Filed: February 13, 2002

For: **PROTEIN THAT ENHANCES
EXPRESSION OF POTASSIUM
CHANNELS ON CELL SURFACES
AND NUCLEIC ACIDS THAT
ENCODE THE SAME**



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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 4, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.